

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 2378 - HB 2532

February 24, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the Commissioner of the Department of Education (DOE) to appoint additional representatives from certain state government entities to the Student Support Collaborative (Collaborative). Requires the Collaborative to meet during calendar year 2022 to develop a plan for expanding fiscal resources for student support personnel.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Tennessee Code Annotated § 49-1-231 requires the Collaborative to review and define the roles and responsibilities for school social workers, school counselors, school psychologists, and school nurses and to identify available resources to provide support to students.
- Expanding the membership of the Collaborative will not affect its responsibilities and will not require any additional funding, as organizations and individuals that serve on the Collaborative are not provided compensation or reimbursement.
- Currently, there is no maximum number of representatives that may be included in the collaborative.
- The Commissioner of DOE will be able to appoint additional representatives to the Collaborative within existing resources and during the normal course of business.
- Any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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